The TATLER.

By *Iſaac Bickerſtaff* Eſq;

From *Tueſday October* 31. to *Thurſday November* 2. 1710.

From my own Apartment, November 1.

THE Lady hereafter mentioned having come to me in very great Haſt, and paid me much above the uſual Fee as a Cunning Man, to find her ſtolen Goods, and alſo having approved my late Diſcourſe of *Advertiſements*, obliged me to draw up this, and inſert it in the Body of my Paper.

ADVERTISEMENT.

WHereas *Bridget Howd'ee*, late Servant to the Lady *Fardingale*, a ſhort, thick, lively, hard-favoured Wench, of about Twenty nine Years of Age, her Eyes ſmall and bleared, her Noſe very broad at Bottom, and turning up at the End; her Mouth wide, and Lips of an unuſual Thickneſs; two Teeth out before, the reſt black and uneven; the Tip of her Left Ear being of a Mouſe Colour; her Voice loud and ſhrill, quick of Speech, and ſomething of a *Welſh* Accent; withdrew her ſelf on *Wedneſday* laſt from her Ladyſhip's Dwelling-houſe, and with the Help of her Comforts carried off the following Goods of her ſaid Lady; *viz.* A thick, wadded, Callico Wrapper, a Musk-coloured Velvet Mantle, lined with Squirrel-Skins; Eight Night Shifts, Four Pair of Silk Stockings curiouſly darned. Six Pair of laced Shoes, new and old, with the Heels of Half Two Inches higher than their Fellows; a quilted Petticoat of the largeſt Size, and one of Canvas with Whalebone Hoops; Three Pair of Stays bolſter'd below the Left Shoulder, Two Pair of Hips of the neweſt Faſhion, Six round-about Aprons with Pockets; and Four ſtriped Muſlin Night-Rails, very little frayed. A Silver Pot for Coffee or Chocolate, the Lid much bruiſed; a broad brim'd, flat, Silver Plate, for Sugar with *Rheniſh* Wine; a Silver Ladle for Plum-Porridge, a Silver Cheeſe Toaſter, with Three Tongues, an Ebony Handle, and Silver Ring at the End; a Silver Pottet to butter Eggs, one Cawdle, and Two Cordial Water, Cups; Two Cocoa Cups, and an Oſtridge's Egg with Rim and Feet of Silver; a Marrow Spoon, with a Scoop at the other End; a Silver Orange Strainer, Eight Sweatmeat Spoons, made with Forks at the End; an Aggat-handle Knife and Fork in a Sheath; a Silver Tongue-Scraper, a Silver Tobacco-Box, with a Tulip graved on the Top, and a Bible bound in Shagreen, with gilt Leaves and Claſps, never opened but once: Alſo a ſmall Cabinet with ſix Drawers, inlaid with red Tortoiſe-ſhell, and Braſs gilt Ornaments at the Four Corners, in which were two Leather Forehead-cloths, three Pair of oiled Dog-skin Gloves, ſeven Cakes of ſuperfine *Spaniſh* Wool, Half a Dozen of *Portugal* Diſhes, and a Quire of Paper from thence; two Pair of bran new Plumpers, four black Lead Combs, three Pair of faſhionable Eyebrows, two Sets of Ivory Teeth, little the worſe for wearing, and one Pair of Box for common Uſe; *Adam* and *Eve* in Bugle-work without Fig Leaves upon Canvas, curiouſly wrought with her Ladiſhip's own Hand; ſeveral Filigrain Curioſities, a Crotchet of One hundred and twenty two Diamonds, ſet ſtrong and deep in Silver, with a Rump Jewel after the ſame Faſhion; Bracelets of braided Hair, Pomander, and Seed Pearl; a large old Purple Velvet Purſe, embroidered, and ſhutting with a Spring, containing two Pictures in Miniature, the Features viſible; a broad thick Gold Ring with a Hand in Hand graved upon it, and within this Poſie, *While Life does laſt, I'll hold thee faſt*; another ſet round with ſmall Rubies and Sparks, ſix wanting; another of *Turkey* Stone, crack'd through the Middle; an *Elizabeth*, and four *Jacobuſſes*; one Guinea, the firſt of the Coin; an Angel with a Hole bored through, a broken Half of a *Spaniſh* Piece of Gold, a Crown-piece with the Breeches, an old Ninepence bent both Ways by *Lillie* the Almanack-Maker for Luck at Langterloo, and twelve of the Shells called Black-moor's Teeth; one ſmall Amber Box with Apoplectick Balſam, and one Silver gilt of a larger Size for Caſhu and Carraway Comfits to be taken at long Sermons, the Lid enamelled, repreſenting a *Cupid* fiſhing for Hearts with a Piece of Gold on his Hook, over his Head this Rhime, *Only with Gold You me ſhall hold.* In the lower Drawer was a large new Gold Repeating Watch made by a *French* Man, a Gold Chain, and all the proper Appurtenances hung upon Steel Swivels, to wit, Lockets with the Hair of dead and living Lovers, Seals with Arms, Emblems and Deviſes, cut in Cornelian, Aggat and Onyx, with *Cupids*, Hearts, Darts, Altars, Flames, Rocks, Pickaxes, Roſes, Thorns, and Sun Flowers;

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as alſo Variety of ingenious *French* Motto's; together with Gold Etuys for Quills, Sciſſars, Needles, Thimble, and a Spunge dipped in *Hungary* Water, left but the Night before by a young Lady going upon a Frolick *incog.* There was alſo a Bundle of Letters dated between the Years 1670 and 1682, moſt of them ſigned *Philander*, the reſt *Strephon*, *Amyntas*, *Corydon*, and *Alonis*; together with a Collection of Receipts to make Paſts for the Hands, Pomatums, Lip Salves, White Pots, Beautifying Creams, Water of Talk, and Frog Spawn Water; Decoctions for clearing the Complexion, and an approved Medicine to procure Abortion.

Whoever can diſcover the aforeſaid Goods, ſo that they may be had again, ſhall have fifty Guinea's for the whole, or proportionable for any Part. *N. B.* Her Ladiſhip is pleaſed to promiſe ten Pounds for the Packet of Letters over and above, or five for *Philander*'s only, being her firſt Love. *My Lady beſtows thoſe of* Strephon *to the Finder, being ſo written, that they may ſerve to any Woman who reads them.*

POSTSCRIPT.

As I am Patron of Perſons who have no other Friend to apply to, I can't ſuppreſs the following Complaint.

SIR,

'I AM a Black-moor Boy, and have, by my Lady's Order, been chriſtened by the Chaplain. 'The good Man has gone further with me, and 'told me a great deal of good News; as that I am 'as good as my Lady her ſelf, as I am a Chriſtian, 'and many other Things. But for all this the Parrot who came over with me from our Country is 'as much eſteemed by her as I am. Beſides this, 'the Shock Dog has a Collar that coſt almoſt as 'much as mine. I deſire alſo to know, Whether, 'now I am a Chriſtian, I am obliged to dreſs like 'a Turk, and wear a Turbant? I am,

SIR,

Your moſt Humble Servant,

Pompey.

Advertiſements.

ALL Sorts of fine Silks and Mercery Goods for Blank Lottery Tickets, at 7 l. a Ticket, and ſold as cheap as for Specie, at the Eagle and Child on Ludgate Hill.

AT the GREAT WHEAT-SHEAF painted upon a Copper Plate, next the Bell-Savage-Inn on Ludgate-hill, are ſold all Sorts of rich Foreign Silk, with Gold and Silver Brocades: Likewiſe plain and flower'd Velvets for Gowns and Petticoats, and Coach Linings; with all Sorts of Silk Morning-Gowns, for Blank Lottery Tickets, at as high a Price as any Perſon ſhall give for them, and the aboveſaid Goods as cheap as for Specie.

MOrning-Gowns for Men and Women, of Silk, Stuffs, and Callicoe's (being the Goods of Perſons that failed) which were to be diſpoſed of at the Olive-Tree and Still, are now to be ſold at the Golden Sugar-Loaf up one Pair of Stairs, over-againſt the Horſe at Charing-Croſs; with a freſh Parcel at very low Rates, the Price being ſet on each Gown.

THE famous Chymical Quinteſſence of Bohee-Tea and Chocolate together, the firſt of that Kind ever made, in which are eſſentially inherent the true Virtues of both Tea and Nut, inſomuch that a few Drops of it gives more Nouriſhment than 20 Diſhes of either, and is therefore the higheſt Reſtorative in Decays of Nature, conſumptive Habits, inward Weakneſs, Waſtings and Coughs, Aſthma's, Poorneſs of Blood, &c. Invigorating and Strengthening Nature beyond all Food or Phyſick. Sold at 5 s. the Bottle at Mr. Lawrence's Toyſhop, at the Griffin, the Corner of Bucklers-bury, Poultry.

SIR William Read, Her Majeſty's Principal Oculiſt and Operator for the Eyes, and in that Quality ſworn Servant in Ordinary, as he was to His late Majeſty King William III. is conſtantly to be adviſed with at his Houſe in Durham-yard in the Strand, London; where he will give careful Attendance to all Her Majeſty's Seamen and Soldiers that have or may receive any Injuries in their Sights: Which Work he has performed ſince the Beginning of the laſt War, has cured above 2000 Seamen, beſides Soldiers in the Land Service, and is the firſt Perſon who ſhewed this Generoſity, and ſtill continues it; ſo that others who pretend to it may be juſtly ſuſpected to deceive the Publick, and leſſen his Reputation.

*** This Day is publiſhed, on a Sheet of Royal Paper, A Poem on Writing. Dedicated to the Six moſt eminent Writing-Maſters of Great Britain, with each of their Pictures, adorned with great Variety of Flouriſhes and Deſigns. Invented, written, and engraven by George Bickham. Sold by H. Overton Without Newgate, I. King in the Poultry, and J. Barnes in the Pall-Mall. Price 2 s. 6 d.

WHereas the Sale of the Leaſe of the Five Bells Tavern, &c. in the Strand, publiſhed and intended to be on this Day, the ſame is adjourned till next Wedneſday at Four a Clock; and the aforeſaid may be viewed and taſted on next Monday and Tueſday from 8 to 1, and from 2 to 6, and all Wedneſday till the Hour of Sale.

NEW Barcelona Wine, as neat and as good as any that has been imported, being a ſmall Parcel newly landed, to be ſold by the Cask and by the Gallon, at 5 s. per Gallon, no leſs Quantity than a Gallon, in Abchurch-lane, in a Cellar at the Sign of the Dial. Attendance will be given every Day from 8 in the Morning till 12, and from 2 till 5.

ROBERT Peters's Sale of a 1000 l. for half a Crown, will begin to draw on Thurſday the 16th Inſtant at Sadlers-Hall; where all Adventurers that pleaſe may ſee the Prizes before they are rolled up, and fairly put into the Wheels, and the Wheels ſealed up every Night, and to prevent the Impoſition of making Gentlemen and others pay to ſee their Numbers whether Blanks or Prizes, there ſhall be an exact Account taken every Hour from the Truſtees Books gratis.

MRs. Symonds's Sale of heavy Plate and other valuable Goods, which are to be ſeen at the Naked Boy and Coat in Henrietta-ſtreet being very near full, all Gentlemen and Ladies are deſired to be ſpeedy in taking out Tickets, which are to be had at the Houſe above-mentioned, at Mr. Sybal's, Silkman, near the Conduit in Cheapſide, Mr. Lillie's at the Corner of Beaufort-Buildings, Croſs's Coffee-houſe in Cary-ſtreet, Lincoln's-Inn-fields, Mr. Bates's at the Hat and Star, a Cane-ſhop, in Bookſellers row in St. Paul's Church-yard, and all the other Places mentioned in the Propoſals.

THis is to give Notice, That the Sale of the rich Bed, Hangings, Plate, &c. (which were ſeen at Drapers-Hall) being near full, will be drawn this Michaelmas Term. All Perſons who are willing to become Adventurers, are deſired to be as ſpeedy as poſſible in taking out Tickets, which (with the Propoſals at large) are to be had at 2 Guinea's each, at Mr. Fleming's, at the Key againſt St. Dunſtan's Church, Fleet-ſtreet; Mr. Stocker at the Mitre near York-Buildings; Mr. Farren's, at the blue Periwig in Ruſſel-ſtreet Covent-garden, Goldſmiths; St. James's Coffee-houſe, Alice's Coffee-houſe, Old Palace-yard, Weſtminſter; Sam's in Ludgate-ſtreet; Mr. Lillie's at the Corner of Beaufort-Buildings; Mr. Syms's, Laceman, in Duke's-Court by St. Martin's Church; and at Mr. N. Carpenter's, Merchant, in Clement's-lane, Lombard-ſtreet, who will ſtand Security for the fair Performance, and where any Perſon not having ſeen them may have a View of the Goods.

MR. Guthridge's Sixpenny Sale of Goods at the Toy-ſhop over-againſt Norfolk-ſtreet in the Strand, of all Prizes and no Blanks, begins this Day to be drawn. The Goods are, a Silver Watch, a large Silver Snuff-Box, a Pearl Necklace, a Gold Ring, a Silver Dram-Cup, Mother of Pearl Ear-Rings, ſome Dozens of Silver Spoons, 200 Lots of China, Tunbridge-Ware, and other Goods of Value. As the high Prizes are drawn out, they are made good the next Day. The Twopenny Sale of all Prizes is to begin this Day to be drawn at the Place above-named.

THE Sale of Plate and other valuable Goods at Mrs. Stokes's, two Doors within Crown-court on the Left Hand in Little Ruſſel-ſtreet, Covent-Garden, was by a Miſtake put into the Tatler to be drawn the Seventh, but is now deferr'd till Thurſday the Ninth Inſtant, and then it will certainly be drawn. There are ſome few Tickets ſtill to be diſpoſed of, at 1 s. each, at the Place aforeſaid, where the Goods are to be ſeen.

THE Twopenny Sale, that was at the Paſtry-Cook's at Porters-Block near Smithfield, is to be drawn without fail on Monday next the 6th Inſtant at the Sign of the Lincoln's-Inn-Square in Lincoln's-Inn-fields near Lincoln's-Inn Back-gate; the higheſt Prize a Silver Cup, Value 4 l. Tickets may be had at Porters-Block, at the Place of Drawing, at the Toy-ſhop in Carthuſian-ſtreet, at the Worſted-ſhop in Shoe-lane, and at the Fan-ſhop at Lincoln's-Inn Back-gate, where the Things may be ſeen.

Sold by *John Morphew* near *Stationers-Hall*; where Advertiſements are taken in.